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Campaign/Cruise Name: RB-16-1 leg1
Campaign/Cruise Info: AOML_SOOP_CO2

Platform Type:

CO2 Instrument Type: Equilibrator-IR

Survey Type: Research Cruise **Vessel Name:** R/V Ronald H. Brown

Vessel Owner: NOAA Vessel Code: 33RO

Coverage Start Date (yyyymmdd): 20160105

End Date (yyyymmdd): 20160108 Westernmost Longitude: 159.3 W Easternmost Longitude: 157.8 W Northernmost Latitude: 21.5 N Southernmost Latitude: 21.0 N Port of Call: Pearl Harbor, HI Port of Call: Pearl Harbor, HI

Variable Name: xCO2_EQU_ppm

Unit: ppm

Description: Mole fraction of CO2 in the equilibrator headspace (dry) at

equilibrator temperature (ppm)

Variable Name: xCO2_ATM_ppm

Unit: ppm

Description: Mole fraction of CO2 measured in dry outside air (ppm)

Variable Name: xCO2_ATM_interpolated_ppm

Unit: ppm

Description: Mole fraction of CO2 in outside air associated with each water analysis. These values are interpolated between the bracketing averaged good

xCO2_ATM analyses (ppm)

Variable Name: PRES_EQU_hPa

Unit: hPa

Description: Barometric pressure in the equilibrator headspace (hPa)

Variable Name: PRES_ATM@SSP_hPa

Unit: hPa

Description: Barometric pressure measured outside, corrected to sea level (hPa)

Variable Name: TEMP_EQU_C

Unit: Degree C

Description: Water temperature in equilibrator (°C)

Variable Name: SST_C

Unit: Degree C

Description: Sea surface temperature (°C)

Variable Name: SAL_permil

Unit: ppt

Description: Sea surface salinity on Practical Salinity Scale (o/oo)

Variable Name: fCO2_SW@SST_uatm

Unit: µatm

Description: Fugacity of CO2 in sea water at SST and 100% humidity (µatm)

Variable Name: fCO2_ATM_interpolated_uatm

Unit: µatm

Description: Fugacity of CO2 in air corresponding to the interpolated xCO2 at SST

and 100% humidity (µatm)

Variable Name: dfCO2_uatm

Unit: µatm

Description: Sea water fCO2 minus interpolated air fCO2 (µatm)

Variable Name: WOCE_QC_FLAG

Unit: None

Description: Quality control flag for fCO2 values (2=good, 3=guestionable)

Variable Name: QC_SUBFLAG

Unit: None

Description: Quality control subflag for fCO2 values, provides explanation when

QC flag=3

Sea Surface Location: Bow thruster room, before sea water pump, ~5 m below water line.

Temperature Manufacturer: Seabird

Model: SBE-21

Accuracy: 0.01 (°C if units not given) **Precision:** 0.001 (°C if units not given)

Calibration: Factory calibration

Comments: Manufacturer's Resolution is taken as Precision; Maintained by ship.

Sea Surface Salinity Location: Attached to underway system at sea water input.

Manufacturer: Seabird

Model: SBE 45

Accuracy: ± 0.005 o/oo **Precision:** 0.0002 o/oo

Calibration: Factory calibration

Comments: Manufacturer's Resolution is taken as Precision

Atmospheric Pressure

Location: On bulkhead exterior on the port side of the radio room aft of the bridge

at ~14 m above the sea surface.

Normalized to Sea Level: yes

Manufacturer: Vaisala

Model: PTB330

Accuracy: ± 0.2 hPa (hPa if units not given) **Precision:** ± 0.08 hPa (hPa if units not given)

Calibration: Factory calibration

Comments: Manufacturer's resolution is taken as precision. Maintained by ship.

Atmospheric CO2

Measured/Frequency: Yes, 5 readings in a group every 3.5 hours

Intake Location: Bow tower ~10 m above the sea surface.

Drying Method: Gas stream passes through a thermoelectric condenser (~5 °C) and then through a Perma Pure (Nafion) dryer before reaching the analyzer (90%

dry).

Atmospheric CO2 Accuracy: ± 0.5 µatm in fCO2_ATM Atmospheric CO2 Precision: ± 0.01 µatm in fCO2_ATM

Aqueous CO2 Equilibrator Design System Manufacturer: Intake Depth: 5 meters Intake Location: Bow

Equilibration Type: Spray head above dynamic pool, with thermal jacket

Equilibrator Volume (L): 0.95 L (0.4 L water, 0.55 L headspace)

Headspace Gas Flow Rate (ml/min): 70 - 150 ml/min Equilibrator Water Flow Rate (L/min): 1.5 - 2.0 L/min

Equilibrator Vented: Yes

Equilibration Comments: Primary equilibrator is vented through a secondary

equilibrator.

Drying Method: Gas stream passes through a thermoelectric condenser (~5 °C) and then through a Perma Pure (Nafion) dryer before reaching the analyzer (90%

dry).

Aqueous CO2
Sensor Details

Measurement Method: IR

Method details: details of CO2 sensing (not required)

Manufacturer: LI-COR

Model: 6262

Measured CO2 Values: xco2(dry)

Measurement Frequency: Every 140 seconds, except during calibration

Aqueous CO2 Accuracy: ± 2 µatm in fCO2_SW
Aqueous CO2 Precision: ± 0.01 µatm in fCO2_SW

Sensor Calibrations:

Calibration of Calibration Gases: The analyzer is calibrated every 3.5 hours using field standards that were calibrated with primary standards that are directly traceable to the WMO scale. Ultra-High Purity air (0.0 ppm CO2) and the high standard are used to zero and span the LI-COR analyzer.

Number Non-Zero Gas Standards: 4

Calibration Gases:

Std 1: CA04957, 282.55 ppm, owned by ESRL, used every ~3.5 hours.

Std 2: CC105863, 380.22 ppm, owned by ESRL, used every ~3.5 hours.

Std 3: CB09696, 453.04 ppm, owned by ESRL, used every ~3.5 hours.

Std 4: CB09032, 539.38 ppm, owned by ESRL, used every ~3.5 hours.

Std 5: 0.00 ppm, owned by AOML, used every ~16.5 hours.

Comparison to Other CO2 Analyses:

Comments:

Method Reference:

Pierrot, D., C. Neil, K. Sullivan, R. Castle, R. Wanninkhof, H. Lueger, T.

Johannessen, A. Olsen, R. A. Feely, and C. E. Cosca (2009), Recommendations for autonomous underway pCO2 measuring systems and data reduction routines,

Deep-Sea Res II, 56, 512-522.

Equilibrator

Location: Inserted into equilibrator ~5 cm below water level

Temperature Sensor

Manufacturer: Hart

Model: 1521

Accuracy: 0.025 (°C if units not given) **Precision:** 0.01 (°C if units not given)

Calibration: Factory calibration

Comments: Resolution is taken as Precision.

Equilibrator Pressure Sensor

Location: Attached to equilibrator headspace. Differential pressure reading from Setra 239 attached to the equilibrator headspace is added to the pressure reading from the LICOR, which is measured by an external Setra 270 connected to the exit

of the analyzer.

Manufacturer: Setra

Model: 270

Accuracy: 0.15 (hPa if units not given) **Precision:** 0.015 (hPa if units not given)

Calibration: Factory calibration

Comments: Manufacturer's Resolution is taken as Precision.

Additional Information

Suggested QC flag from Data Provider: NA

Additional Comments: very few issues with the data. The first few data points were deleted because the fugacity values started very high and quickly went down. The water measured did not seem representative of the surroundings (ship contamination?). A few subsequent points therefore are questionable and were flagged 3. Original Data Location: http://www.aoml.noaa.gov/ocd/ocdweb/brown/

brown_introduction.html
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Other References for this Dataset: